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PETITION TO HAVE AMENDMENT ENTERED

Sir:

The present is in response to the final action dated May 17, 2004 for the above-referenced pending application. The Examiner has indicated that an amendment submitted on 12/08/2003 has not been entered because the request for continued examination filed on 04/30/2004 did not explicitly request that this be done. It is respectfully submitted that there was no reason for the Examiner to believe that the

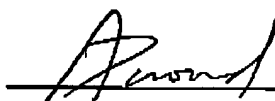
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Applicant did not want the amendment entered. Non-entering of the amendment is believed to prejudice the Applicant's rights and it is respectfully requested that the amendment of 12/08/2003 be entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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